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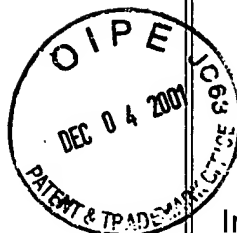
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CONTAINING GENOMIC
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MAKING AND UTILIZING THE SAME

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PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of October 4, 2001. A fee of \$55.00 is enclosed.

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